LEGALIZING ACTS.

CHAPTER 187.

CERTIFICATES OF AUTHORITY ISSUED BY AUDITOR OF STATE TO INSUR-ANCE COMPANIES.

8. F. 289.

AN ACT providing for the continuance in force of certificates issued by the auditor of state to insurance companies organized under the laws of Iowa and extending the time for payment of taxes by said companies.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Date of extension. That all certificates issued by the auditor of state to insurance companies incorporated under the laws of the state of Iowa authorizing such companies to transact business until March 1, 1900, and in force February 28, 1900, are hereby continued in force until April 1, 1900, and the time of payment of taxes by said companies under section thirteen hundred and thirty-three (1883) of the code is hereby extended to April 1, 1900, and said companies are hereby authorized to transact business under said certificates until said date unless such certificates are sooner revoked in accordance with law.

SEC. 2. In effect. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall be in force and effect from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register and the Des Moines Leader, newspapers published at Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved March 2, 1900.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register and the Des Moines Leader March 3, 1900.

G. L. DOBSON, Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 188.

OFFICIAL ACTS OF CERTAIN JUSTICES IN CLAYTON COUNTY LEGALIZED.

AN ACT to legalize the official acts of Isaac Matthews, C. H. Foster, W. H. Butler, and J. H. Scrogum, as justices of the peace in and for Mendon township, Clayton county, Iowa, from January 1st, 1895, to January 1st, 1899.

WHEREAS, during the period from January 1st, 1895, and January 1st, 1899, Isaac Matthews, C. H. Foster, W. H. Butler, and J. H. Scrogum were at different times elected as justices of the peace in and for Mendon township, Clayton county, Iowa, and served as such justices; and

WHEREAS, doubts have arisen as to the legality of their election and of

their official acts; now, therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Official acts legalized. That all the official acts of the said Isaac Matthews, C. H. Foster, W. H. Butler, and J. H. Scrogum as

justices of the peace in and for Mendon township, Clayton county, Iowa, for the period from January 1st, 1895, to January 1st, 1899, be and are hereby made as legal and valid as they would have been had said persons and each

of them been duly and legally elected to said office.

SEC. 2. In effect. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall be in force and take effect from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register and North Iowa Times, newspapers published respectively at Des Moines and McGregor, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Approved February 10, 1900.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the North Iowa Times, McGregor, March 15, 1900, and in the Iowa State Register April 20, 1900.

G. L. Dobson. Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 189.

LEGALIZING TAX VOTED BY ELECTORS OF SCHOOL DISTRICT OF FAY-ETTE, IOWA.

S. F. 20.

AN ACT to legalize a tax voted by the electors of the independent school district of Fayette, Iowa, and all warrants issued or hereafter issued by virtue such election.

Whereas, at a special meeting of the electors of the independent school district of Fayette, in Fayette county, Iowa, held on the 2d day of June, A. D. 1899, an amount not to exceed three thousand dollars was voted for the erection of a schoolhouse in addition to a sum voted on the second Monday in March, A. D. 1898, for the purchase of a site and the erection of a schoolhouse thereon, which said sum of three thousand dollars was to be levied in sums of five hundred dollars a year, beginning with the year 1901 until said sum of three thousand dollars should have been fully paid, or so much thereof as might be necessary for the erection of such build-

ing; and WHEREAS, doubts have arisen as to the legality of said election; there-

fore.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Election and issue of warrants legalized. That said election so held as aforesaid on the 2d day of June, A. D. 1899, be and the same hereby is legalized and made valid and the same and all warrants that have been issued and all warrants that may be issued hereafter, for the erection of such schoolhouse, are hereby legalized and made valid the same as though said tax had been voted at an annual meeting, and the law had in all respects been complied with.

SEC. 2. In effect. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Daily Iowa Capital, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and in the Postal Card, a newspaper published at Fayette, Iowa, without expense to

the state.

Approved February 10, 1900.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Daily Iowa Capital February 14, 1900, and in the Postal Card February 22, 1900.

G. L. DOBSON. Secretary of State.